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# HOUSE BILL NO. 1570

## 91ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES KOLLER, KREIDER AND BERKOWITZ (Co-sponsors).

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### AN ACT

To repeal sections 142.803, 144.610, 226.134, 301.050, 301.055, 301.057, 301.058, 301.059, 301.061, 301.062, 301.063, 301.065, 301.066, 301.067, 301.069, 301.131, 301.140, 301.170, 301.175, 301.177, 301.265, 301.266, and 301.560, RSMo, and section 301.064 as enacted by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 3, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, and section 301.064 as enacted by house bill no. 769, eighty-ninth general assembly, first regular session, and to enact in lieu thereof thirty-one new sections relating to transportation, with a referendum clause.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Sections 142.803, 144.610, 226.134, 301.050, 301.055, 301.057, 301.058, 301.059, 301.061, 301.062, 301.063, 301.065, 301.066, 301.067, 301.069, 301.131, 301.140, 301.170, 301.175, 301.177, 301.265, 301.266, and 301.560, RSMo, and section 301.064 as enacted by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 3, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, and section 301.064 as enacted by house bill no. 769, eighty-ninth general assembly, first regular session, are repealed and thirty-one new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 43.272, 142.803, 142.804, 144.022, 144.023, 144.442, 144.610, 149.083, 226.134, 226.137, 301.050, 301.055, 301.057, 301.058, 301.059, 301.061, 301.062, 301.063, 301.064, 301.065, 301.066, 301.067, 301.069, 301.131, 301.140, 301.170, 301.175, 301.177, 301.265, 301.266, and 301.560, to read as follows:

**43.272. 1. There is hereby created in the state treasury the "Missouri State Highway Patrol Fund", which shall consist of moneys collected pursuant to sections 144.023 and 149.083, RSMo. The fund shall be administered by the department of public**

**EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**

4 safety. Upon appropriation, moneys in the fund shall be used exclusively for purposes  
5 authorized in chapter 43, RSMo.

6 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 33.080, RSMo, to the contrary, any  
7 moneys remaining in the fund at the end of the biennium shall not revert to the credit of  
8 the general revenue fund.

9 3. The state treasurer shall invest moneys in the fund in the same manner as other  
10 funds are invested. Any interest and moneys earned on such investments shall be credited  
11 to the fund.

142.803. 1. A tax is levied and imposed on all motor fuel used or consumed in this state  
2 as follows:

3 (1) Motor fuel, seventeen cents per gallon. [Beginning April 1, 2008,] **Upon the**  
4 **effective date of the motor fuel tax levied and imposed pursuant to section 142.804**, the tax  
5 rate **pursuant to this section** shall become eleven cents per gallon;

6 (2) Alternative fuels, not subject to the decal fees as provided in section 142.869, with  
7 a power potential equivalent of motor fuel. In the event alternative fuel, which is not commonly  
8 sold or measured by the gallon, is used in motor vehicles on the highways of this state, the  
9 director is authorized to assess and collect a tax upon such alternative fuel measured by the  
10 nearest power potential equivalent to that of one gallon of regular grade gasoline. The  
11 determination by the director of the power potential equivalent of such alternative fuel shall be  
12 prima facie correct;

13 (3) Aviation fuel used in propelling aircraft with reciprocating engines, nine cents per  
14 gallon as levied and imposed by section 155.080, RSMo, to be collected as required under this  
15 chapter.

16 2. All taxes, surcharges and fees are imposed upon the ultimate consumer, but are to be  
17 precollected as described in this chapter, for the facility and convenience of the consumer. The  
18 levy and assessment on other persons as specified in this chapter shall be as agents of this state  
19 for the precollection of the tax.

**142.804. 1. In addition to the tax levied and imposed pursuant to subdivision (1)**  
2 **of subsection 1 of section 142.803, an additional tax of ten cents per gallon is hereby levied**  
3 **and imposed on motor fuel used or consumed in this state. The revenue derived from the**  
4 **additional tax of ten cents per gallon imposed pursuant to this section shall be distributed**  
5 **and used as provided in article IV, section 30(a) and (b) of the Missouri Constitution.**

6 2. The additional tax is imposed upon the ultimate consumer, but is to be  
7 precollected as described in this chapter, for the facility and convenience of the consumer.  
8 The levy and assessment on other persons as specified in this chapter shall be as agents of  
9 this state for the precollection of the tax.

10           **3. The additional revenue derived from the tax imposed by this section shall not be**  
11 **part of the total state revenue within the meaning of article X, sections 17 and 18 of the**  
12 **Missouri Constitution. The expenditure of this revenue shall not be an expense of state**  
13 **government pursuant to article X, section 20 of the Missouri Constitution. The additional**  
14 **tax imposed by this section shall expire on December 31, 2022.**

**144.022. 1. In addition to the tax levied and imposed pursuant to subdivisions (1)**  
2 **to (8) of subsection 1 of section 144.020, an additional tax of one percent is hereby levied**  
3 **and imposed upon all sellers for the privilege of engaging in the business of selling tangible**  
4 **personal property or rendering taxable service at retail in this state. In the event that the**  
5 **revenue derived from the additional one percent rate imposed pursuant to this section is**  
6 **less than or exceeds the total amount distributed in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this**  
7 **subsection, the amount distributed pursuant to each such subdivision shall be increased**  
8 **or decreased by the percentage of increase or decrease of revenue. The revenue derived**  
9 **from the additional one percent rate imposed pursuant to this section shall be deposited**  
10 **and used exclusively as follows:**

- 11           **(1) Six hundred million dollars per year to be deposited in the state road fund;**  
12           **(2) Twenty million dollars per year to be deposited in the state transportation fund.**

13           **2. The additional revenue derived from the tax imposed by this section shall not be**  
14 **part of the total state revenue within the meaning of article X, sections 17 and 18 of the**  
15 **Missouri Constitution. The expenditure of this revenue shall not be an expense of state**  
16 **government pursuant to article X, section 20 of the Missouri Constitution. The additional**  
17 **tax imposed by this section shall expire on December 31, 2022.**

**144.023. 1. In addition to the tax levied and imposed pursuant to subdivision (6)**  
2 **of subsection 1 of section 144.020, and the tax levied and imposed pursuant to section**  
3 **144.022, an additional tax of one percent is hereby levied and imposed on the amount of**  
4 **sales of and charges for all intoxicating liquor as defined in section 311.020, RSMo, and on**  
5 **the amount of sales of and charges for all nonintoxicating beer as defined in section**  
6 **312.010, RSMo. The revenue derived from the one percent rate imposed pursuant to this**  
7 **section shall be deposited in the Missouri state highway patrol fund and used exclusively**  
8 **for purposes authorized in chapter 43, RSMo.**

9           **2. The additional revenue derived from the tax imposed by this section shall not be**  
10 **part of the total state revenue within the meaning of article X, sections 17 and 18 of the**  
11 **Missouri Constitution. The expenditure of this revenue shall not be an expense of state**  
12 **government pursuant to article X, section 20 of the Missouri Constitution. The additional**  
13 **tax imposed by this section shall expire on December 31, 2022.**

**144.442. 1. In addition to the tax levied and imposed pursuant to section 144.440,**

2 there is hereby levied and imposed upon every person for the privilege of using the  
3 highways or waterways of this state an additional tax equivalent to one percent of the  
4 purchase price, as defined in section 144.070, RSMo, which is paid and charged on new  
5 and used motor vehicles, trailers, boats, and outboard motors purchased or acquired for  
6 use on the highways or waters of this state which are required to be registered pursuant  
7 to the laws of Missouri.

8 2. The additional tax levied and imposed in this section shall be subject to all  
9 provisions of, and all rules and regulations promulgated pursuant to, section 144.440,  
10 RSMo.

144.610. 1. A tax is imposed for the privilege of storing, using or consuming within this  
2 state any article of tangible personal property purchased on or after the effective date of sections  
3 144.600 to 144.745 in an amount equivalent to the percentage imposed on the sales price in the  
4 sales tax law in [section] sections 144.020 and 144.022. This tax does not apply with respect  
5 to the storage, use or consumption of any article of tangible personal property purchased,  
6 produced or manufactured outside this state until the transportation of the article has finally come  
7 to rest within this state or until the article has become commingled with the general mass of  
8 property of this state.

9 2. Every person storing, using or consuming in this state tangible personal property is  
10 liable for the tax imposed by this law, and the liability shall not be extinguished until the tax is  
11 paid to this state, but a receipt from a vendor authorized by the director of revenue under the  
12 rules and regulations that he prescribes to collect the tax, given to the purchaser in accordance  
13 with [the provisions of] section 144.650, relieves the purchaser from further liability for the tax  
14 to which receipt refers.

149.083. 1. In addition to the tax imposed in section 149.015, there is hereby  
2 imposed a tax upon the sale of cigarettes in an amount equal to one-half of one mill per  
3 cigarette. The tax imposed by this section shall be collected in the same manner and at the  
4 same time as the tax imposed in section 149.015.

5 2. The provisions of section 149.065 to the contrary notwithstanding, the proceeds  
6 from the tax imposed by this section, less any compensation authorized for wholesalers for  
7 affixing stamps as provided in section 149.021, shall be deposited in the Missouri state  
8 highway patrol fund and used exclusively for purposes authorized in chapter 43, RSMo.

9 3. The additional revenue derived from the tax imposed by this section shall not be  
10 part of the total state revenue within the meaning of article X, sections 17 and 18 of the  
11 Missouri Constitution. The expenditure of this revenue shall not be an expense of state  
12 government pursuant to article X, section 20 of the Missouri Constitution. The additional  
13 tax imposed by this section shall expire on December 31, 2022.

226.134. All projects funded by bonds authorized in section 226.133 **and 226.137** shall  
2 be funded in conformity with the priorities established in the 1992 plan developed by the  
3 transportation department.

**226.137. 1. The general assembly may authorize the highways and transportation  
2 commission to issue bonds or other evidence of indebtedness from fiscal year 2007 to fiscal  
3 year 2022. The principal amount of such bonds shall be no less than one hundred fifty  
4 million dollars nor greater than two hundred fifty million dollars in any one fiscal year.  
5 Net proceeds, after costs of issuance have been paid, from the issuance of the bonds shall  
6 be provided to the highways and transportation commission to pay for the cost of  
7 construction engineering and construction. The proceeds from the bonds shall not be used  
8 to pay for administrative expenses, including but not limited to planning and design  
9 expenses. Contracted final design shall not be considered an administrative expense, but  
10 shall not exceed seven percent of any project.**

**11 2. To obtain authorization for the issuance of bonds, the highways and  
12 transportation commission shall annually present to the general assembly, by the tenth  
13 legislative day, a proposed plan and an analysis demonstrating the feasibility and  
14 appropriateness thereof. The plan to issue bonds shall become effective no later than  
15 forty-five calendar days after the plan proposed by the highways and transportation  
16 commission is submitted to a regular session of the general assembly, unless it is  
17 disapproved within forty-five calendar days of its submission to a regular session by a  
18 concurrent resolution introduced within fourteen calendar days of the submission of the  
19 plan to a regular session of the general assembly and adopted by a majority vote of the  
20 elected members of each house. If no concurrent resolution disapproving of the highway  
21 plan is introduced within fourteen calendar days of the submission of the plan to the  
22 legislature, then the plan shall become effective immediately. The presiding officer of each  
23 house in which a concurrent resolution disapproving of a plan to issue bonds has been  
24 introduced, unless the resolution has been previously accepted or rejected by that house,  
25 shall submit it to a vote of the membership not sooner than seven calendar days or later  
26 than fourteen calendar days after introduction of the concurrent resolution pertaining to  
27 the department of transportation plan. The presiding officer of the house passing a  
28 concurrent resolution disapproving of a plan to issue bonds shall immediately forward the  
29 bill to the other house and the presiding officer of that house shall submit it to a vote of the  
30 membership not sooner than seven calendar days or later than fourteen calendar days of  
31 its receipt from the other legislative body. The plan submitted by the highways and  
32 transportation commission shall not be subject to amendment by either chamber and may  
33 only be rejected in its entirety.**

34           **3. The highways and transportation commission shall offer such bonds at public**  
35 **sale or negotiated sale. The bonds shall be for a period of not less than ten years and not**  
36 **more than twenty years from their date of issue and shall bear interest at a rate or rates**  
37 **not exceeding the rate permitted by law.**

38           **4. The proceeds of the sale or sales of any bonds issued pursuant to this section**  
39 **shall be paid into the state road fund to be expended for the purpose specified pursuant to**  
40 **section 226.220.**

41           **5. Bonds issued pursuant to this section shall be state road bonds as such term is**  
42 **used in section 30(b) of article IV of the Missouri Constitution, and as such, principal and**  
43 **interest payments on such bonds shall be made from the state road fund as provided in**  
44 **section 30(b) of article IV of the Missouri Constitution. Bonds issued pursuant to this**  
45 **section shall not be deemed to constitute a debt or liability of the state or a pledge of the**  
46 **full faith and credit of the state, and the principal and interest on such bonds shall be**  
47 **payable solely from the state road fund. Bonds issued pursuant to this section, the interest**  
48 **thereon, or any proceeds from such bonds shall be exempt from taxation in the state of**  
49 **Missouri for all purposes except for the state estate tax.**

50           **6. Bonds may be issued for the purpose of refunding, either at maturity or in**  
51 **advance of maturity, any bonds issued pursuant to this section. The proceeds of such**  
52 **refunding bonds may either be applied to the payment of the bonds being refunded or**  
53 **deposited in trust and maintained in cash or investments for the retirement of the bonds**  
54 **being refunded, as shall be specified by the highways and transportation commission and**  
55 **the authorizing resolution or trust indenture securing such refunding bonds. The**  
56 **authorizing resolution or trust indenture securing the refunding bonds shall specify the**  
57 **amount and other terms of the refunding bonds and may provide that the refunding bonds**  
58 **shall have the same security for their payment as provided for the bonds being refunded.**  
59 **The refunding bonds shall be for a period of not less than ten years and not more than**  
60 **twenty years from their date of issue and shall bear interest at a rate or rates not exceeding**  
61 **the rate permitted by law. The principal amount of refunding bonds issued pursuant to**  
62 **this section shall not be counted toward the limit on the principal amount of bonds**  
63 **permitted pursuant to this section.**

          301.050. All registration fees shall be payable to the director of revenue and shall  
2 accompany the application for registration. A penalty fee of five dollars **and fifty cents** shall  
3 be paid on all delinquent registrations. Any motor vehicle on which the annual registration fee  
4 falls due prior to September 1, 1984, and which is delinquent shall thereafter be registered by the  
5 department of revenue to renew that annual registration at the fee in effect when the annual  
6 registration was due plus the penalty provided in this section.

301.055. The annual registration fee for motor vehicles other than commercial motor		
2	vehicles is:	
3	Less than 12 horsepower . . . . .	\$[18.00] <b>19.80</b>
4	12 horsepower and less than 24 horsepower . . . . .	[21.00] <b>23.10</b>
5	24 horsepower and less than 36 horsepower . . . . .	[24.00] <b>26.40</b>
6	36 horsepower and less than 48 horsepower . . . . .	[33.00] <b>36.30</b>
7	48 horsepower and less than 60 horsepower . . . . .	[39.00] <b>42.90</b>
8	60 horsepower and less than 72 horsepower . . . . .	[45.00] <b>49.50</b>
9	72 horsepower and more . . . . .	[51.00] <b>56.10</b>
10	Motorcycles . . . . .	[8.50] <b>9.35</b>
11	Motortricycles . . . . .	[10.00] <b>11.00</b>

301.057. The annual registration fee for property-carrying commercial motor vehicles,		
2	not including property-carrying local commercial motor vehicles, or land improvement	
3	contractors' commercial motor vehicles, based on gross weight is:	
4	6,000 pounds and under . . . . .	\$ [25.50] <b>28.05</b>
5	6,001 pounds to 9,000 pounds . . . . .	[38.00] <b>41.80</b>
6	9,001 pounds to 12,000 pounds . . . . .	[38.00] <b>41.80</b>
7	12,001 pounds to 18,000 pounds . . . . .	[63.00] <b>69.30</b>
8	18,001 pounds to 24,000 pounds . . . . .	[100.50] <b>110.55</b>
9	24,001 pounds to 26,000 pounds . . . . .	[127.00] <b>139.70</b>
10	26,001 pounds to 30,000 pounds . . . . .	[180.00] <b>198.00</b>
11	30,001 pounds to 36,000 pounds . . . . .	[275.50] <b>303.05</b>
12	36,001 pounds to 42,000 pounds . . . . .	[413.00] <b>454.30</b>
13	42,001 pounds to 48,000 pounds . . . . .	[550.50] <b>605.55</b>
14	48,001 pounds to 54,000 pounds . . . . .	[688.00] <b>756.80</b>
15	54,001 pounds to 60,010 pounds . . . . .	[825.50] <b>908.05</b>
16	60,011 pounds to 66,000 pounds . . . . .	[1,100.50] <b>1,210.55</b>
17	66,001 pounds to 73,280 pounds . . . . .	[1,375.50] <b>1,513.05</b>
18	73,281 pounds to 78,000 pounds . . . . .	[1,650.50] <b>1,815.55</b>
19	78,001 pounds to 80,000 pounds . . . . .	[1,719.50] <b>1,891.45</b>

301.058. 1. The annual registration fee for property-carrying local commercial motor		
2	vehicles, other than a land improvement contractors' commercial motor vehicles, based on gross	
3	weight is:	
4	6,000 pounds and under . . . . .	\$ [15.50] <b>17.05</b>
5	6,001 pounds to 12,000 pounds . . . . .	[18.00] <b>19.80</b>
6	12,001 pounds to 18,000 pounds . . . . .	[20.50] <b>22.55</b>

7	18,001 pounds to 24,000 pounds	[27.50] <b>30.25</b>
8	24,001 pounds to 26,000 pounds	[33.50] <b>36.85</b>
9	26,001 pounds to 30,000 pounds	[45.50] <b>50.05</b>
10	30,001 pounds to 36,000 pounds	[67.50] <b>74.25</b>
11	36,001 pounds to 42,000 pounds	[100.50] <b>110.55</b>
12	42,001 pounds to 48,000 pounds	[135.50] <b>149.05</b>
13	48,001 pounds to 54,000 pounds	[170.50] <b>187.55</b>
14	54,001 pounds to 60,010 pounds	[200.50] <b>220.55</b>
15	60,011 pounds to 66,000 pounds	[270.50] <b>297.55</b>
16	66,001 pounds to 72,000 pounds	[335.50] <b>369.05</b>
17	72,001 pounds to 80,000 pounds	[350.50] <b>385.55</b>

18        2. Any person found to have improperly registered a motor vehicle in excess of fifty-four  
 19 thousand pounds when he or she was not entitled to shall be required to purchase the proper  
 20 license plates and, in addition to all other penalties provided by law, shall be subject to the  
 21 annual registration fee for the full calendar year for the vehicle's gross weight as prescribed in  
 22 section 301.057.

301.059. The annual registration fee for passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicles  
 2 (not including passenger-carrying local commercial motor vehicles, school buses or local transit  
 3 buses) based on seating capacity is:

4	10 passengers or less	\$ [100.50] <b>110.55</b>
5	11 to 18 passengers	[180.50] <b>198.55</b>
6	19 to 25 passengers	[250.50] <b>275.55</b>
7	26 to 29 passengers	[290.50] <b>319.55</b>
8	30 to 33 passengers	[330.50] <b>363.55</b>
9	34 to 37 passengers	[370.50] <b>407.55</b>
10	38 to 41 passengers	[410.50] <b>451.55</b>
11	42 to 45 passengers	[450.50] <b>495.55</b>

301.061. The annual registration fee for passenger-carrying local commercial motor  
 2 vehicles based on seating capacity is:

3	10 passengers or less	\$ [50.50] <b>55.55</b>
4	11 to 18 passengers	[90.50] <b>99.55</b>
5	19 to 25 passengers	[125.50] <b>138.05</b>
6	26 to 29 passengers	[145.50] <b>160.05</b>
7	30 to 33 passengers	[165.50] <b>182.05</b>
8	34 to 37 passengers	[185.50] <b>204.05</b>
9	38 to 41 passengers	[205.50] <b>226.05</b>



10 42 to 45 passengers . . . . . [225.50] **248.05**

301.062. The annual registration fee for a local log truck, registered pursuant to this  
2 chapter, is three hundred **thirty** dollars.

301.063. The annual registration fee for local transit buses based on seating capacity is:

2 40 passengers or less . . . . . \$ [25.50] **28.05**

3 41 to 45 passengers . . . . . [35.50] **39.05**

4 Over 45 passengers . . . . . [50.50] **55.55**

[301.064. 1. The annual registration fee for a land improvement contractors'  
2 commercial motor vehicle is three hundred and fifty dollars. The maximum gross  
3 weight for which such a vehicle may be registered is seventy-three thousand two  
4 hundred and eighty pounds. Transporting for hire by such a motor vehicle is  
5 prohibited.

6 2. Upon application to the director of revenue accompanied by an affidavit  
7 signed by the owner or owners stating that the motor vehicle to be licensed as a land  
8 improvement contractors' commercial motor vehicle shall not be operated in any  
9 manner other than as prescribed in section 301.010, and by the amount of the  
10 registration fee prescribed in subsection 1 of this section, and otherwise complying  
11 with the laws relating to the registration and licensing of motor vehicles, the owner  
12 or owners shall be issued a distinctive set of land improvement contractors' license  
13 plates. The director of revenue shall by regulation determine the characteristic  
14 features of land improvement contractors' license plates so that they may be readily  
15 identified as such.]

301.064. 1. The annual registration fee for a land improvement contractors' commercial  
2 motor vehicle is three hundred [and fifty] **eighty-five** dollars. The maximum gross weight for  
3 which such a vehicle may be registered is eighty thousand pounds. Transporting for hire by such  
4 a motor vehicle is prohibited.

5 2. Upon application to the director of revenue accompanied by an affidavit signed by the  
6 owner or owners stating that the motor vehicle to be licensed as a land improvement contractors'  
7 commercial motor vehicle shall not be operated in any manner other than as prescribed in section  
8 301.010, and by the amount of the registration fee prescribed above, and otherwise complying  
9 with the laws relating to the registration and licensing of motor vehicles, the owner or owners  
10 shall be issued a set of land improvement contractors' license plates. The advisory committee  
11 established in section 301.129 shall determine the characteristic features of land improvement  
12 contractors' license plates so that they may be readily identified as such, except that such license  
13 plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall  
14 be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.  
15 Any rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to sections 301.010, 301.057, 301.058, and  
16 301.064 may be suspended by the committee on administrative rules until such time as the  
17 general assembly may by concurrent resolution reinstate such rule.

301.065. The annual registration fee for each school bus, [twenty-five] **twenty-eight**  
2 dollars[, fifty] **and five** cents.

301.066. The annual registration fee for shuttle buses, recreational motor vehicles and  
2 vanpool vehicles is [thirty-two] **thirty-five** dollars **and twenty cents**. The advisory committee  
3 established in section 301.129 shall determine the characteristic features of license plates for  
4 vehicles registered under the provisions of this section so that they may be recognized as such,  
5 except that such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color  
6 scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as  
7 prescribed by section 301.130.

301.067. 1. For each trailer or semitrailer there shall be paid an annual fee of [seven]  
2 **eight** dollars [fifty] **and twenty-five** cents, and in addition thereto such permit fee authorized  
3 by law against trailers used in combination with tractors operated under the supervision of the  
4 motor carrier and railroad safety division of the department of economic development. The fees  
5 for tractors used in any combination with trailers or semitrailers or both trailers and semitrailers  
6 (other than on passenger-carrying trailers or semitrailers) shall be computed on the total gross  
7 weight of the vehicles in the combination with load.

8 2. Any trailer or semitrailer may at the option of the registrant be registered for a period  
9 of three years upon payment of a registration fee of [twenty-two] **twenty-four** dollars and [fifty]  
10 **seventy-five** cents.

11 3. Any trailer or semitrailer which is operated coupled to a towing vehicle by a fifth  
12 wheel and kingpin assembly or by a trailer converter dolly may, at the option of the registrant,  
13 be registered permanently upon the payment of a registration fee of [fifty-two] **fifty-seven** dollars  
14 and [fifty] **seventy-five** cents. The permanent plate and registration fee is vehicle specific. The  
15 plate and the registration fee paid is nontransferable and nonrefundable, except those covered  
16 under the provisions of section 301.442.

301.069. For each driveaway license there shall be paid an annual license fee of  
2 [forty-four] **forty-eight** dollars and [fifty] **ninety-five** cents for one set of plates or such insignia  
3 as the director may issue which shall be attached to the motor vehicle as prescribed in this  
4 chapter. For single trips the fee shall be four dollars **and forty cents**, and descriptive insignia  
5 shall be prepared and issued at the discretion of the director who shall also prescribe the type of  
6 equipment used to attach such vehicles in combinations.

301.131. 1. Any motor vehicle over twenty-five years old which is owned solely as a  
2 collector's item and which is used and intended to be used for exhibition and educational  
3 purposes shall be permanently registered upon payment of a registration fee of [twenty-five]  
4 **twenty-seven** dollars **and fifty cents**. Upon the transfer of the title to any such vehicle the  
5 registration shall be canceled and the license plates issued therefor shall be returned to the

6 director of revenue.

7       2. The owner of any such vehicle shall file an application in a form prescribed by the  
8 director, if such vehicle meets the requirements of this section, and a certificate of registration  
9 shall be issued therefor. Such certificate need not specify the horsepower of the motor vehicle.

10       3. The director shall issue to the owner of any motor vehicle registered pursuant to this  
11 section the same number of license plates which would be issued with a regular annual  
12 registration, containing the number assigned to the registration certificate issued by the director  
13 of revenue. Such license plates shall be kept securely attached to the motor vehicle registered  
14 hereunder. The advisory committee established in section 301.129 shall determine the  
15 characteristic features of such license plates for vehicles registered pursuant to [the provisions  
16 of] this section so that they may be recognized as such, except that such license plates shall be  
17 made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly  
18 visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

19       4. Historic vehicles may be driven to and from repair facilities one hundred miles from  
20 the vehicle's location, and in addition may be driven up to one thousand miles per year for  
21 personal use. The owner of the historic vehicle shall be responsible for keeping a log of the  
22 miles driven for personal use each calendar year. Such log must be kept in the historic vehicle  
23 when the vehicle is driven on any state road. The historic vehicle's mileage driven in an antique  
24 auto tour or event and mileage driven to and from such a tour or event shall not be considered  
25 mileage driven for the purpose of the mileage limitations in this section. Violation of this section  
26 is a class C misdemeanor and in addition to any other penalties prescribed by law, upon  
27 conviction thereof, the director of revenue shall revoke the historic motor vehicle license plates  
28 of such violator which were issued pursuant to this section.

29       5. Notwithstanding any provisions of this section to the contrary, any person possessing  
30 a license plate issued by the state of Missouri prior to 1979 in which the year of the issuance of  
31 such plate is consistent with the year of the manufacture of the vehicle, the owner of the vehicle  
32 may register such plate as a personalized plate by following the procedures for personalized  
33 license plate registration and paying the same fees as prescribed in section 301.144. Such license  
34 plate shall not be required to possess the characteristic features of reflective material and  
35 common color scheme and design as prescribed in section 301.130.

301.140. 1. Upon the transfer of ownership of any motor vehicle or trailer, the certificate  
2 of registration and the right to use the number plates shall expire and the number plates shall be  
3 removed by the owner at the time of the transfer of possession, and it shall be unlawful for any  
4 person other than the person to whom such number plates were originally issued to [have the  
5 same in his or her possession] **possess the plates** whether in use or not; except that the buyer of  
6 a motor vehicle or trailer who trades in a motor vehicle or trailer may attach the license plates

7 from the traded-in motor vehicle or trailer to the newly purchased motor vehicle or trailer. The  
8 operation of a motor vehicle with such transferred plates shall be lawful for no more than thirty  
9 days. As used in this subsection, the term "trade-in motor vehicle or trailer" shall include any  
10 single motor vehicle or trailer sold by the buyer of the newly purchased vehicle or trailer, as long  
11 as the license plates for the trade-in motor vehicle or trailer are still valid.

12         2. In the case of a transfer of ownership the original owner may register another motor  
13 vehicle under the same number, upon the payment of a fee of two dollars **and twenty cents**, if  
14 the motor vehicle is of horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying  
15 commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, not in excess of that originally registered. When  
16 such motor vehicle is of greater horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying  
17 commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, for which a greater fee is prescribed, applicant shall  
18 pay a transfer fee of two dollars **and twenty cents** and a pro rata portion for the difference in  
19 fees. When such vehicle is of less horsepower, gross weight or (in case of a passenger-carrying  
20 commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, for which a lesser fee is prescribed, applicant shall  
21 not be entitled to a refund.

22         3. License plates may be transferred from a motor vehicle which will no longer be  
23 operated to a newly purchased motor vehicle by the owner of such vehicles. The owner shall pay  
24 a transfer fee of two dollars **and twenty cents** if the newly purchased vehicle is of horsepower,  
25 gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity,  
26 not in excess of that of the vehicle which will no longer be operated. When the newly purchased  
27 motor vehicle is of greater horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying  
28 commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, for which a greater fee is prescribed, the applicant  
29 shall pay a transfer fee of two dollars **and twenty cents** and a pro rata portion of the difference  
30 in fees. When the newly purchased vehicle is of less horsepower, gross weight or (in the case  
31 of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, for which a lesser fee is  
32 prescribed, the applicant shall not be entitled to a refund.

33         4. Upon the sale of a motor vehicle or trailer by a dealer, a buyer who has made  
34 application for registration, by mail or otherwise, may operate the same for a period of thirty days  
35 after taking possession thereof, if during such period the motor vehicle or trailer shall have  
36 attached thereto, in the manner required by section 301.130, number plates issued to the dealer.  
37 Upon application and presentation of satisfactory evidence that the buyer has applied for  
38 registration, a dealer may furnish such number plates to the buyer for such temporary use. In  
39 such event, the dealer shall require the buyer to deposit the sum of [ten] **eleven** dollars and [fifty]  
40 **fifty-five** cents to be returned to the buyer upon return of the number plates as a guarantee that  
41 said buyer will return to the dealer such number plates within thirty days. The director shall  
42 issue a temporary permit or paper plate authorizing the operation of a motor vehicle or trailer by

43 a buyer for not more than thirty days of the date of purchase.

44         5. The temporary permit or paper plate shall be made available by the director of revenue  
45 and may be purchased from the department of revenue upon proof of purchase of a motor vehicle  
46 or trailer for which the buyer has no registration plate available for transfer, or from a dealer  
47 upon purchase of a motor vehicle or trailer for which the buyer has no registration plate available  
48 for transfer. The director shall make temporary plates or permits available to registered dealers  
49 in this state in sets of ten plates or permits. The fee for the temporary permit or plate shall be  
50 seven dollars and fifty cents for each permit or plate issued. No dealer shall charge more than  
51 seven dollars and fifty cents for each permit issued. The permit or plate shall be valid for a  
52 period of thirty days from the date of purchase of a motor vehicle or trailer, or from the date of  
53 sale of the motor vehicle or trailer by a dealer for which the purchaser obtains a permit or plate  
54 as set out above.

55         6. The permit or plate shall be issued on a form prescribed by the director and issued  
56 only for the applicant's use in the operation of the motor vehicle or trailer purchased to enable  
57 the applicant to legally operate the vehicle while proper title and registration plate are being  
58 obtained, and shall be displayed on no other vehicle. Permits or paper plates issued pursuant to  
59 this section shall not be transferable or renewable and shall not be valid upon issuance of proper  
60 registration plates for the motor vehicle or trailer. The director shall determine the size and  
61 numbering configuration, construction, and color of the permit and plate.

62         7. The dealer or authorized agent shall insert the date of issuance and expiration date,  
63 year, make, and manufacturer's number of vehicle on the paper plate or permit when issued to  
64 the buyer. The dealer shall also insert such dealer's number on the paper plate. Every dealer that  
65 issues a temporary permit or paper plate shall keep, for inspection of proper officers, a correct  
66 record of each permit or plate issued by recording the permit or plate number, buyer's name and  
67 address, year, make, manufacturer's number of vehicle on which the permit or plate is to be used,  
68 and the date of issuance.

69         8. Upon the transfer of ownership of any currently registered motor vehicle wherein the  
70 owner cannot transfer the license plates due to a change of vehicle category, the owner may  
71 surrender the license plates issued to the motor vehicle and receive credit for any unused portion  
72 of the original registration fee against the registration fee of another motor vehicle. Such credit  
73 shall be granted based upon the date the license plates are surrendered. No refunds shall be made  
74 on the unused portion of any license plates surrendered for such credit.

301.170. 1. Motor vehicles and trailers in the course of delivery from a manufacturer  
2 to a dealer, or from one dealer to another, may be operated on the highways without number  
3 plates being attached thereto, provided they bear on the front and on the rear, substantially as  
4 provided for number plates, a placard displaying the words "In Transit" and the number of the

5 certificate issued as herein provided in letters and figures not less than three inches high with a  
6 stroke not less than three-eighths of an inch wide; and provided further, that the operator of each  
7 motor vehicle shall carry, and exhibit on request, a certificate bearing the seal of the director of  
8 revenue and [his] **the director's** facsimile signature, countersigned with the genuine signature  
9 of the manufacturer or dealer selling such motor vehicle, or [his] authorized agent. Such  
10 certificate shall bear a number and shall show the date and place of issue and the destination of  
11 the motor vehicle, and shall be of such form as the director of revenue shall determine.

12         2. The manufacturer, dealer or authorized agent shall insert the correct date, place of  
13 issue and destination, and mail a duplicate copy of such certificate to the director of revenue at  
14 the time the original is issued; original and duplicate forms of certificates shall be furnished to  
15 manufacturers and dealers, and to no others, in books of ten sets of certificates each for a fee of  
16 five dollars **and fifty cents**, and in books of fifty sets of certificates each for a fee of  
17 [twenty-five] **twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents**. It shall be unlawful for any person to display  
18 such placard or to use such certificate except as herein provided.

301.175. 1. Upon the application for and payment of a fee of five dollars **and fifty cents**  
2 the director of revenue shall issue a maintenance trip permit at any office issuing motor vehicle  
3 license plates. Any holder of a local commercial motor vehicle license may apply for the  
4 maintenance trip permit by certifying on the application for such a permit that the permit will be  
5 used solely for the purpose of operating the motor vehicle and its mounted equipment, while  
6 empty, to or from a place of repair or maintenance, or place where its mounted equipment may  
7 be repaired or replaced, beyond the twenty-five mile license zone. The agent or deputy of the  
8 director who issues the permit shall enter on such permit the name of the registered owner of the  
9 vehicle, the address of the place to which the vehicle is registered, the place of origin for the trip,  
10 the destination for the trip, the number of the local commercial license issued for that vehicle,  
11 the vehicle make and year model, and the date, time and place of issuance.

12         2. Possession of a duly issued permit shall entitle the operator of a locally licensed  
13 commercial vehicle to operate the vehicle beyond the twenty-five mile commercial zone for  
14 which licensed for the purposes set out in subsection 1 of this section.

15         3. "Maintenance trip permit", as used in this section, means a trip permit issued as a  
16 supplement to a local commercial license for the sole purpose of allowing the operation of a  
17 vehicle licensed as a local commercial vehicle, while empty, to or from a place of repair or  
18 maintenance within a period of ten days from the time of issuance.

19         4. All fees collected by the director of revenue under the provisions of this section shall  
20 be deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the state highways and transportation  
21 department fund.

22         5. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, whenever a public utility,

23 as defined in section 386.020, RSMo, has customers without utility service due to a  
24 weather-related or other type of emergency, the public utility may use locally licensed  
25 commercial vehicles to make service restoration trips to the areas of the service outages, even  
26 if such areas are outside the twenty-five-mile commercial license zone. The vehicles may  
27 operate in the areas of service outages until service is restored, and then such vehicles may make  
28 the return trip to their local area.

301.177. 1. The director shall issue a temporary permit authorizing the operation of a  
2 motor vehicle or trailer by a nonresident buyer for not more than fifteen days from the date of  
3 purchase. Proof of ownership must be presented to the director and application for such permit  
4 shall be made upon a blank form furnished by the director of revenue and shall contain a full  
5 description of the motor vehicle, including manufacturer's or other identifying number.

6 2. The director of revenue shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining whether the facts  
7 stated in such application are true, and, if satisfied that the applicant is the lawful owner of such  
8 motor vehicle, issuance of such permit shall be granted and the director shall furnish an  
9 appropriate placard evidencing the issuance thereof to be displayed on the vehicle. A fee of [ten]  
10 **eleven** dollars shall be collected upon the issuance of each such permit.

301.265. 1. The owner of any motor vehicle or, in the event the motor vehicle is legally  
2 operated by someone other than the owner, then the operator thereof, which is duly and legally  
3 registered in some other jurisdiction but which cannot legally be operated on Missouri highways  
4 [under the provisions of] **pursuant to** section 301.271, or [under the provisions of] **pursuant**  
5 **to** any applicable agreement duly entered into by the Missouri highway reciprocity commission,  
6 which is operated on the highways of this state only occasionally by such owner or operator, may  
7 in lieu of the payment of the registration fee for such vehicle, obtain a trip permit from the  
8 department of revenue authorizing the operation of such vehicle on the highways of this state for  
9 a period of not to exceed seventy-two hours. The trip permit is valid for use by any owner or  
10 operator who uses the vehicle during the seventy-two hour period. The fee for such trip permit  
11 shall be [ten] **eleven** dollars and shall be collected by the department of revenue and deposited  
12 with the state treasurer to the credit of the state highway department fund except when an  
13 agreement has been negotiated with another jurisdiction whereby prepayment is not required.  
14 In such cases, the terms of the agreement shall prevail. When such trip permit fee has been paid  
15 on a motor vehicle, no registration or fee shall be required for a trailer or semitrailer duly and  
16 legally registered in any jurisdiction and propelled by such motor vehicle. The director of  
17 revenue shall prescribe rules and regulations to effectuate the purpose of this section.  
18 Application for such trip permits shall be made on a form prescribed by and shall contain such  
19 information as may be required by the director of revenue.

20 2. The requirements of Missouri law as to title of motor vehicles shall not be applicable

21 to vehicles operated under such trip permits.

22 3. Any owner or operator who desires to use a trip permit for the operation of [his] a  
23 vehicle shall secure such permit and the same must be in full force and effect before the vehicle  
24 enters or commences its trip in the state of Missouri.

25 4. Operators who fail to obtain such permit before the vehicle enters or commences its  
26 trip in this state are subject to arrest and must obtain such permit before proceeding. The permits  
27 shall be made available at official highway weight stations.

28 5. The purchase of [a ten] **an eleven** dollar trip permit shall allow such operator to haul  
29 the maximum weight allowed by statute.

30 6. Such permits may be sold in advance of the date of their use in such quantities as the  
31 director of revenue shall determine.

301.266. 1. The owner of any motor vehicle which was duly and legally proportionally  
2 registered in Missouri with the highway reciprocity commission, but which cannot legally be  
3 operated on Missouri highways because of lease cancellation, may, in lieu of the payment of  
4 other registration fee for such vehicle and upon proof of ownership, obtain a hunter's permit from  
5 the department of revenue. Such permit shall authorize the operation of the vehicle on the  
6 highways of this state and the highways of all member jurisdictions of the international  
7 registration plan for a period not to exceed thirty days. Any vehicle operated under a hunter's  
8 permit issued in accordance with this section shall only be operated while empty and shall only  
9 be operated for the purpose of securing a new lease agreement under which proper registration  
10 may be obtained. No vehicle may be operated on the highways of this state when the registration  
11 of such vehicle has been canceled, unless the vehicle owner shall have been issued a hunter's  
12 permit for such vehicle. Operation of any vehicle without proper registration or a hunter's permit  
13 shall constitute a class A misdemeanor. No owner operating such a vehicle without proper  
14 registration or a hunter's permit shall be allowed to operate the vehicle until [he] **the owner** has  
15 purchased a hunter's permit or otherwise obtained proper registration.

16 2. Application for a hunter's permit shall be made upon forms prescribed by the director.  
17 Application shall be made to the highway reciprocity commission. The applicant shall provide  
18 proof acceptable to the commission, that [he] **the applicant** has surrendered all plates, cab cards  
19 and other evidence of previous registration to the previous registrant before a permit under this  
20 section may be issued. The fee for a hunter's permit shall be [twenty-five] **twenty-seven** dollars  
21 **and fifty cents** and shall be collected by the department of revenue and deposited with the state  
22 treasurer to the credit of the state highway department fund. When such fee has been paid, no  
23 other registration fee shall be required for any trailer or semitrailer which is being towed by such  
24 vehicle.

25 3. Notwithstanding any provisions of law to the contrary, a vehicle operated on a hunter's



26 permit shall not be subject to the laws of this state relating to motor vehicle titles during the time  
27 of operation on such permit.

28 4. Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to change the vehicle owner's duty  
29 to timely file any necessary fuel reports and to pay any fuel taxes owed to the state of Missouri.

30 5. The director of revenue may prescribe rules and regulations for the effective  
31 administration of this section.

301.560. 1. In addition to the application forms prescribed by the department, each  
2 applicant shall submit the following to the department:

3 (1) When the application is being made for licensure as a manufacturer, boat  
4 manufacturer, motor vehicle dealer, boat dealer, wholesale motor vehicle dealer, wholesale  
5 motor vehicle auction or a public motor vehicle auction, a certification by a uniformed member  
6 of the Missouri state highway patrol stationed in the troop area in which the applicant's place of  
7 business is located; except, that in counties of the first classification, certification may be  
8 authorized by an officer of a metropolitan police department when the applicant's established  
9 place of business of distributing or selling motor vehicles or trailers is in the metropolitan area  
10 where the certifying metropolitan police officer is employed, that the applicant has a bona fide  
11 established place of business. A bona fide established place of business for any new motor  
12 vehicle franchise dealer or used motor vehicle dealer shall include a permanent enclosed building  
13 or structure, either owned in fee or leased and actually occupied as a place of business by the  
14 applicant for the selling, bartering, trading or exchanging of motor vehicles or trailers and  
15 wherein the public may contact the owner or operator at any reasonable time, and wherein shall  
16 be kept and maintained the books, records, files and other matters required and necessary to  
17 conduct the business. The applicant's place of business shall contain a working telephone which  
18 shall be maintained during the entire registration year. In order to qualify as a bona fide  
19 established place of business for all applicants licensed pursuant to this section there shall be an  
20 exterior sign displayed carrying the name and class of business conducted in letters at least six  
21 inches in height and clearly visible to the public and there shall be an area or lot which shall not  
22 be a public street on which one or more vehicles may be displayed, except when licensure is for  
23 a wholesale motor vehicle dealer, a lot and sign shall not be required. When licensure is for a  
24 boat dealer, a lot shall not be required. In the case of new motor vehicle franchise dealers, the  
25 bona fide established place of business shall include adequate facilities, tools and personnel  
26 necessary to properly service and repair motor vehicles and trailers under their franchisor's  
27 warranty;

28 (2) If the application is for licensure as a manufacturer, boat manufacturer, new motor  
29 vehicle franchise dealer, used motor vehicle dealer, wholesale motor vehicle auction, boat dealer  
30 or a public motor vehicle auction, a photograph, not to exceed eight inches by ten inches,

31 showing the business building and sign shall accompany the initial application. In the case of  
32 a manufacturer, new motor vehicle franchise dealer or used motor vehicle dealer, the photograph  
33 shall include the lot of the business. A new motor vehicle franchise dealer applicant who has  
34 purchased a currently licensed new motor vehicle franchised dealership shall be allowed to  
35 submit a photograph of the existing dealership building, lot and sign but shall be required to  
36 submit a new photograph upon the installation of the new dealership sign as required by sections  
37 301.550 to 301.573. Applicants shall not be required to submit a photograph annually unless the  
38 business has moved from its previously licensed location, or unless the name of the business or  
39 address has changed, or unless the class of business has changed;

40 (3) If the application is for licensure as a wholesale motor vehicle dealer or as a boat  
41 dealer, the application shall contain the business address, not a post office box, and telephone  
42 number of the place where the books, records, files and other matters required and necessary to  
43 conduct the business are located and where the same may be inspected during normal daytime  
44 business hours. Wholesale motor vehicle dealers and boat dealers shall file reports as required  
45 of new franchised motor vehicle dealers and used motor vehicle dealers;

46 (4) Every applicant as a new motor vehicle franchise dealer, a used motor vehicle dealer,  
47 a wholesale motor vehicle dealer, or boat dealer shall furnish with the application a corporate  
48 surety bond or an irrevocable letter of credit as defined in section [400.5-103] **400.5-102**, RSMo,  
49 issued by any state or federal financial institution in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand  
50 dollars on a form approved by the department. The bond or irrevocable letter of credit shall be  
51 conditioned upon the dealer complying with the provisions of the statutes applicable to new  
52 motor vehicle franchise dealers, used motor vehicle dealers, wholesale motor vehicle dealers and  
53 boat dealers, and the bond shall be an indemnity for any loss sustained by reason of the acts of  
54 the person bonded when such acts constitute grounds for the suspension or revocation of the  
55 dealer's license. The bond shall be executed in the name of the state of Missouri for the benefit  
56 of all aggrieved parties or the irrevocable letter of credit shall name the state of Missouri as the  
57 beneficiary; except, that the aggregate liability of the surety or financial institution to the  
58 aggrieved parties shall, in no event, exceed the amount of the bond or irrevocable letter of credit.  
59 The proceeds of the bond or irrevocable letter of credit shall be paid upon receipt by the  
60 department of a final judgment from a Missouri court of competent jurisdiction against the  
61 principal and in favor of an aggrieved party;

62 (5) Payment of all necessary license fees as established by the department. In  
63 establishing the amount of the annual license fees, the department shall, as near as possible,  
64 produce sufficient total income to offset operational expenses of the department relating to the  
65 administration of sections 301.550 to 301.573. All fees payable pursuant to the provisions of  
66 sections 301.550 to 301.573, other than those fees collected for the issuance of dealer plates or

67 certificates of number collected pursuant to subsection 6 of this section, shall be collected by the  
68 department for deposit in the state treasury to the credit of the "Motor Vehicle Commission  
69 Fund", which is hereby created. The motor vehicle commission fund shall be administered by  
70 the Missouri department of revenue. The provisions of section 33.080, RSMo, to the contrary  
71 notwithstanding, money in such fund shall not be transferred and placed to the credit of the  
72 general revenue fund until the amount in the motor vehicle commission fund at the end of the  
73 biennium exceeds two times the amount of the appropriation from such fund for the preceding  
74 fiscal year or, if the department requires permit renewal less frequently than yearly, then three  
75 times the appropriation from such fund for the preceding fiscal year. The amount, if any, in the  
76 fund which shall lapse is that amount in the fund which exceeds the multiple of the appropriation  
77 from such fund for the preceding fiscal year.

78         2. In the event a new manufacturer, boat manufacturer, motor vehicle dealer, wholesale  
79 motor vehicle dealer, boat dealer, wholesale motor vehicle auction or a public motor vehicle  
80 auction submits an application for a license for a new business and the applicant has complied  
81 with all the provisions of this section, the department shall make a decision to grant or deny the  
82 license to the applicant within eight working hours after receipt of the dealer's application,  
83 notwithstanding any rule of the department.

84         3. Upon the initial issuance of a license by the department, the department shall assign  
85 a distinctive dealer license number or certificate of number to the applicant and the department  
86 shall issue one number plate or certificate bearing the distinctive dealer license number or  
87 certificate of number within eight working hours after presentment of the application. Upon the  
88 renewal of a boat dealer, boat manufacturer, manufacturer, motor vehicle dealer, public motor  
89 vehicle auction, wholesale motor vehicle dealer or wholesale motor vehicle auction, the  
90 department shall issue the distinctive dealer license number or certificate of number as quickly  
91 as possible. The issuance of such distinctive dealer license number or certificate of number shall  
92 be in lieu of registering each motor vehicle, trailer, vessel or vessel trailer dealt with by a boat  
93 dealer, boat manufacturer, manufacturer, public motor vehicle auction, wholesale motor vehicle  
94 dealer, wholesale motor vehicle auction or motor vehicle dealer.

95         4. Notwithstanding any other provision of the law to the contrary, the department shall  
96 assign the following distinctive dealer license numbers to:

97 New motor vehicle franchise dealers .....	D-0 through D-999
98 New motor vehicle franchise and commercial motor vehicle dealers .....	D-1000
99	through D-1999
100 Used motor vehicle dealers .....	D-2000 through D-5399
101	and D-6000 through D-9999
102 Wholesale motor vehicle dealers .....	W-1000 through W-1999

103	Wholesale motor vehicle auctions .....	W-2000 through W-2999
104	Trailer dealers .....	T-0 through T-9999
105	Motor vehicle and trailer manufacturers .....	M-0 through M-9999
106	Motorcycle dealers .....	D-5400 through D-5999
107	Public motor vehicle auctions .....	A-1000 through A-1999
108	Boat dealers and boat manufacturers .....	B-0 through B-9999

109       5. Upon the sale of a currently licensed new motor vehicle franchise dealership the  
110 department shall, upon request, authorize the new approved dealer applicant to retain the selling  
111 dealer's license number and shall cause the new dealer's records to indicate such transfer.

112       6. In the case of manufacturers and motor vehicle dealers, the department shall also issue  
113 one number plate bearing the distinctive dealer license number to the applicant upon payment  
114 by the manufacturer or dealer of a [fifty-dollar] **fifty-five dollar** fee. Such license plates shall  
115 be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly  
116 visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Boat  
117 dealers and boat manufacturers shall be entitled to one certificate of number bearing such number  
118 upon the payment of a [fifty-dollar] **fifty-five dollar** fee. As many additional number plates as  
119 may be desired by manufacturers and motor vehicle dealers and as many additional certificates  
120 of number as may be desired by boat dealers and boat manufacturers may be obtained upon  
121 payment of a fee of [ten] **eleven** dollars and [fifty] **fifty-five** cents for each additional plate or  
122 certificate. A motor vehicle dealer, boat dealer, manufacturer, boat manufacturer, public motor  
123 vehicle auction, wholesale motor vehicle dealer or wholesale motor vehicle auction obtaining  
124 a dealer license plate or certificate of number or additional license plate or additional certificate  
125 of number, throughout the calendar year, shall be required to pay a fee for such license plates or  
126 certificates of number computed on the basis of one-twelfth of the full fee prescribed for the  
127 original and duplicate number plates or certificates of number for such dealers' licenses,  
128 multiplied by the number of months remaining in the licensing period for which the dealer or  
129 manufacturers shall be required to be licensed. In the event of a renewing dealer, the fee due at  
130 the time of renewal shall not be prorated.

131       7. The plates issued pursuant to subsection 3 or 6 of this section may be displayed on any  
132 motor vehicle owned and held for resale by the motor vehicle dealer or manufacturer, and used  
133 by a customer who is test driving the motor vehicle, or is used by an employee or officer, but  
134 shall not be displayed on any motor vehicle or trailer hired or loaned to others or upon any  
135 regularly used service or wrecker vehicle. Motor vehicle dealers may display their dealer plates  
136 on a tractor, truck or trailer to demonstrate a vehicle under a loaded condition.

137       8. The certificates of number issued pursuant to subsection 3 or 6 of this section may be  
138 displayed on any vessel or vessel trailer owned and held for resale by a boat manufacturer or a

139 boat dealer, and used by a customer who is test driving the vessel or vessel trailer, or is used by  
140 an employee or officer, but shall not be displayed on any vessel or vessel trailer hired or loaned  
141 to others or upon any regularly used service vessel or vessel trailer. Boat dealers and  
142 manufacturers may display their certificate of number on a vessel or vessel trailer which is being  
143 transported to an exhibit or show.

Section B. Section A of this act is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of this state  
2 for approval or rejection at an election which is hereby ordered and which shall be held and  
3 conducted on the Tuesday immediately following the first Monday in November, 2002, or at a  
4 special election to be called by the governor for that purpose, pursuant to the laws and  
5 constitutional provisions of this state applicable to general elections and the submission of  
6 referendum measures by initiative petition, and it shall become effective when approved by a  
7 majority of the votes cast thereon at such election and not otherwise.

Section C. At the general election on the first Tuesday immediately following the first  
2 Monday in November 2002, and every ten years thereafter, the secretary of state shall submit to  
3 the electors of this state the question: "Shall the additional revenues for transportation included  
4 in sections 142.803, 142.804, 144.022, 144.023, 144.442, 144.610, 149.083, 301.050, 301.055,  
5 301.057, 301.058, 301.059, 301.061, 301.063, 301.064, 301.065, 301.066, 301.067, 301.069,  
6 301.131, 301.140, 301.170, 301.175, 301.177, 301.265, 301.266, and 301.560, as approved by  
7 the voters in the November 2002 general election or any special election called by the governor  
8 for such purpose, be renewed and extended for ten years?". If a majority of the votes cast thereon  
9 is for the affirmative, the additional revenues shall be renewed and extended for ten years. If a  
10 majority of the votes cast thereon is for the negative, the decennial referendum provision of this  
11 section, the increase in rates included in sections 142.803, 142.804, 144.022, 144.023, 144.442,  
12 144.610, 149.083, 301.050, 301.055, 301.057, 301.058, 301.059, 301.061, 301.063, 301.064,  
13 301.065, 301.066, 301.067, 301.069, 301.131, 301.140, 301.170, 301.175, 301.177, 301.265,  
14 301.266, and 301.560, as approved by the voters in the November 2002 general election or any  
15 special election called by the governor for such purpose and which direct the deposit and use of  
16 revenues pursuant to section A of this act shall expire on July first following the election and  
17 return to the provisions in effect on January 1, 2002.